



## Defensive Driving Board

Arizona State Courts Building  
1501 West Washington Street  
Phoenix, Arizona 85007

August 17, 2017  
Time: 10:00 a.m.  
Hearing Room 109

### Approved Regular Session Minutes

#### MEMBER ATTENDANCE:

##### Present:

##### Telephonically Present:

##### Absent:

Daniel Edwards	Thomas Davis	
Walter "Jack" Weberg	Margaret Stephens-Reed	
William "Patch" Pachnowski		
Honorable Maria Brewer		
William Riedel		
Paul E. Hallums		
Johnny Tse		

#### OTHER ATTENDEES:

##### AOC Staff:

##### Guests:

Mark Wilson	Patricia Morale, Phoenix Municipal Court
Kate Novak	Angelic Craig, Phoenix Municipal Court
Michelle Martinez	Andrea Tazioli, Cheap Easy Fun
Hal White	Debbie Grado, ACNSC
Bill McIntyre	Alex Smith, NTSI
Will Castro	
Pasquale Fontana	
Tara Smith	

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## CALL TO ORDER

*Called to Order By:*

*Daniel Edwards, Chair*

*Time:*

10:00 a.m.

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## 1) REVIEW AND APPROVAL OF MEETING MINUTES

*Individuals Addressing the Board:*

*Daniel Edwards, Chair*

*1-A: Review, discussion and possible action regarding the regular session minutes for the meeting of June 15, 2017.*

*Discussion:* None.

*Motion:* Consideration of and motion to accept the regular session minutes of the April 20, 2017 meeting.

*Motion Proposals:* First Walter "Jack" Weberg  
Second William "Patch" Pachnowski

*Motion Results:* Pass

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## 2) PENDING COMPLAINTS

*Individuals Addressing the Board:*

*Division Staff*

*2-A: Review, discussion and possible action regarding the following certificate holder complaints:*

- 16-D008 EZ AZ Traffic School (#48)
- 16-D009 EZ AZ Defensive Driving (#51)
- 16-D010 EZ AZ 4-Hour Traffic School for Quick Ticket Dismissal (#91)
- 16-D011 EZ AZ Approved for All AZ Courts, Online or Classroom (#96)
- 16-D012 EZ AZ Certified Traffic School (#417)
- 16-D013 EZ AZ Defensive Driving Services (#418)
- 16-D014 EZ AZ Defensive Driving School (#428)
- 16-D015 EZ AZ Traffic Schools (#429)
- 16-D016 EZ AZ 4 Hour (#430)

- 16-D017 EZ AZ Simple Traffic School (#471)
- 16-D018 EZ AZ Fast Traffic School (#475)
- 16-D019 EZ AZ The Best Traffic School (#476)
- 16-D020 EZ AZ #1 (#477)
- 16-D021 EZ AZ #1 Traffic School (#478)
- 16-D022 EZ AZ Certified 4-Hour Traffic School (#502)
- 16-D023 EZ AZ Tucson Licensed Traffic School for All AZ Courts (#503)
- 16-D024 EZ AZ Defensive Driving Schools (#504)
- 16-D025 EZ AZ Licensed 4-Hour Traffic School (#505)
- 16-D026 EZ AZ Approved (#506)

**Discussion:** Pasquale Fontana presented. Staff recommends dismissal of complaint. The Board discussed the matter. Alex Smith of NTSI addressed the board as the complainant.

**Motion:** Reject staff's recommendation. Move to issue an advisory letter to respondent and dismiss complaint.

**Motion Proposals:** First: Walter "Jack" Weberg  
Second: Thomas L. Davis

**Motion Results:** Pass  
**Recusals:** Mark E. Hallums

**2-B:** *Review, discussion and possible action regarding complaint number 17-D001, involving certificate holder, Traffic School of Arizona.*

**Discussion:** Bill McIntyre presented. No discussion.

**Motion:** None. Deferred to next meeting.

**2-C:** *Review, discussion and possible action regarding complaint number 16-D031, involving certificate holder, Right Turn 4 Hour Online.*

**Discussion:** Michelle Martinez presented. Staff recommends dismissal of complaint.

**Motion:** Accept staff's recommendation.

**Motion Proposals:** First: Walter "Jack" Weberg  
Second: William Riedel

**Motion Results:** Pass

2-D: *Review, discussion and possible action regarding the Division Director dismissal of complaint number 17-D002.*

**Discussion:** Michelle Martinez presented. Staff recommends dismissal of complaint.

**Motion:** Accept staff's recommendation.

**Motion Proposals:** First: William Riedel  
Second: William "Patch" Pachnowski

**Motion Results:** Pass

2-E: *Update regarding the status of pending complaints.*

**Discussion:** Michelle Martinez presented. As of this meeting, 21 of 26 open cases have been presented.

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## 1) INITIAL CERTIFICATIONS AND ELIGIBILITY

**Individuals Addressing the Board:**

**Chris DeWitt**

3-A: *Review, discussion and possible action regarding pending applications for initial certification of the following defensive driving schools:*

1. Defensive Driving Today, L.L.C.

**Discussion:** Deferred to next meeting pending further investigation.

**Motion:** None.

2. All Star Driver Education, Inc.

**Discussion:** Staff recommends initial certification be granted.

**Motion:** Consideration of and motion to accept staff's recommendation.

**Motion Proposals:** First: William "Patch" Pachnowski  
Second: Johnny Tse

**Results:** Pass.

3. EXPRESS DEFENSIVE DRIVING SCHOOL

**Discussion:** Staff recommends initial certification be granted.

**Motion:** Consideration of and motion to accept staff's recommendation.

**Motion Proposals:** First: Walter "Jack" Weberg  
Second: Thomas L. Davis

**Results:** Pass.

4. \*\*\*\*\*SUPER... FAST... ARIZONA... 24/7... FIRST...  
AFFORDABLE... ONLINE TRAFFIC SCHOOL\*\*\*\*\*
5. >>>>>>SUPER... CHEAP... ARIZONA... 24/7... FAST...  
AFFORDABLE... ONLINE TRAFFIC SCHOOL<<<<<<
6. \*\*\*\*\*THE... 24/7... SUPER... FAST... ARIZONA...  
AFFORDABLE...ONLINE TRAFFIC SCHOOL\*\*\*\*\*
7. \*\*\*\*\*QUICK... FAST... 24/7... ARIZONA... FIRST...  
AFFORDABLE... ONLINE TRAFFIC SCHOOL\*\*\*\*\*
8. \*\*\*\*\*OPEN... 24/7... SUPER... CHEAP... ARIZONA...  
AFFORDABLE... ONLINE TRAFFIC SCHOOL\*\*\*\*\*

**Discussion:** Staff recommends initial certification be granted. Paul E. Hallums provided comments. Mark Wilson provided comments. The Board requested a review or meeting addressing proper school naming conventions.

**Motion:** Consideration of and motion to accept staff's recommendation.

**Motion Proposals:** First: Paul E. Hallums  
Second: William Riedel

**Results:** Pass. Walter "Jack" Weberg opposed.

9. Piece of Cake Traffic School Online

**Discussion:** Staff recommends initial certification be granted.

**Motion:** Consideration of and motion to accept staff's recommendation.

**Motion Proposals:** First: Walter "Jack" Weberg  
Second: William Riedel

**Results:** Pass.

10. Jacob's Driving School

**Discussion:** Deferred to next meeting pending further investigation.

**Motion:** None.

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#### 4) ADMINISTRATIVE ISSUES

*Individuals Addressing the Board:*

*Hal White*

4-A: *Review, discussion and possible action regarding the certification renewal application deadline pursuant to ACJA § 7-201(G)(2).*

**Discussion:** Staff recommends approval of a renewal period date beginning on or after September 1, 2017 and ending October 31, 2017. Applications submitted after October 1, 2017 (or a date commensurate with 30 days following the start of the renewal period) will be assessed an additional \$50.00 fee.

**Motion:** Consideration of and motion to accept staff's recommendation.

**Motion Proposals:** First: Walter "Jack" Weberg  
Second: William "Patch" Pachnowski

**Results:** Pass.

4-B: *Review, discussion and possible action concerning random audits of continuing education compliance for renewal.*

**Discussion:** Staff recommends approval of auditing a random selection of 20% of the instructor population for the calendar year beginning January 2015 and a random selection of 20% of the instructor population for the calendar year beginning January 2016. Staff will control for any overlap to avoid one individual being audited for both periods.

**Motion:** Consideration of and motion to accept staff's recommendation.

**Motion Proposals:** First: William Riedel  
Second: Walter "Jack" Weberg

**Results:** Pass.

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#### CALL TO THE PUBLIC

*Individuals Addressing the Board:*

*Daniel Edwards, Chair*

**Discussion:** Alex Smith of NTSI addressed the board. Mark Wilson responded.

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**ADJOURN**

*Individuals Addressing the Board:*

*Daniel Edwards, Chair*

***Motion:*** Adjourn meeting.

***Motion Proposals:*** First: William Riedel  
Second: Walter “Jack” Weberg

***Results:*** Pass.

***Time:*** 11:34 a.m.